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SUBJECT: CANDIDATE FOR FAO DIRECTOR-GENERAL POSITION

1. LATEST ENTRY IN CAMPAIGN FOR FAO DIRECTOR-GENERALSHIP FOR PERIOD 1976-82 IS DR. BUKAR SHAIB, PERMANENT SECRETARY OF NIGERIAN FEDERAL MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES. ANNOUNCEMENT MADE IN NOTE FROM NIGERIAN AMBASSADOR TO ITALY WHICH OUTLINES BUKAR SHAIB'S FIELD EXPERIENCE AS A VETERINARY OFFICER AND AGRICULTURAL ADMINISTRATOR AND HIS LONG ASSOCIATION WITH FAO. EMBASSY HAS ROUTINELY ACKNOWLEDGED NIGERIAN NOTE.

2. LAGOS MAY WISH TO COMMENT ON WHETHER IT IS AWARE NIGERIAN INTEREST AND IF CANDIDACY IS EXPECTED BE SERIOUSLY PURSUED. (ELECTION TAKES PLACE NOVEMBER 1975.) TO DATE OTHER ANNOUNCED CANDIDATES ARE YRIART (URUGUAY), AQUINO (EL SALVADOR), SAOUMA (LEBANON) AND SEY (GHANA). LATTER CANDIDACY, WE ARE INFORMED, WAS SUBMITTED WITHOUT FULL CONSIDERATION AND IS EXPECTED TO BE WITHDRAWN.BEAUDRY

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